

**MINUTES OF THE  
SENATE EDUCATION STANDING COMMITTEE**  
210 Senate Building, Utah State Capitol Complex  
February 20, 2014

**Members Present:** Sen. Patricia W. Jones  
Sen. Mark B. Madsen  
Sen. Aaron Osmond  
Sen. Howard A. Stephenson  
Sen. Stephen H. Urquhart

**Members Excused:** President Wayne L. Niederhauser

**Members Absent:** Sen. Stuart C. Reid, Chair  
Sen. Jerry W. Stevenson

**Staff Present:** Ms. Tiffany Stanley, Policy Analyst  
Ms. Wendy Hill, Committee Secretary

**NOTE:** A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Acting Chair Osmond called the meeting to order at 8:38 a.m.

**H.B. 36 Charter School Enrollment Amendments (*Rep. D. Lifferth*)**

Rep. Lifferth explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Craig Frank, Board Member, Utah Charter Network

**MOTION:** Sen. Jones moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Stephenson absent for the vote.

Acting Chair Osmond relinquished the chair to Sen. Jones.

**S.B. 101 Public Education Human Resource Management Amendments (*Sen. A. Osmond*)**

Sen. Osmond explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Sydnee Dickson, Director, Teaching & Learning Section, Utah State Office of Education

**MOTION:** Sen. Osmond moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Stephenson absent for the vote.

Acting Chair Jones relinquished the chair to Sen. Osmond.

**H.B. 260    Local School Board Candidate Reporting Amendments (*Rep. K. Powell*)**

Rep. Powell explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke to the bill:        Susan Edwards, Public Engagement Coordinator, Canyons School District  
                                 Mark Thomas, Chief Deputy, Lieutenant Governor's Office

Spoke for the bill:       Peter Cannon, citizen  
                                 Dr. Patti Harrington, Executive Director, Utah School Superintendents  
                                 Association

**MOTION:** Sen. Jones moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

**MOTION:** Sen. Madsen moved to approve the minutes of the February 12, 2014 and February 14, 2014 meetings. The motion passed unanimously.

**MOTION:** Sen. Jones moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.

Acting Chair Osmond adjourned the meeting at 9:07 a.m.

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Sen. Stuart C. Reid, Chair